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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

		DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION YES NO	ABSTRACT
<i>MG</i>	AE	11-175617	7/2/1999	Japan		X
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**OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

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<i>MG</i>	AJ	Toshiaki ATSUMOTO, "Home page", Nikkei Multimedia, Nikkei Business Publications Inc., No. 47, page 112-115.	X

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